

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTERDocket No.
1592-0178PUS1

Application No. 10/549,698-Conf. #9561	Filing Date July 14, 2006	Examiner K. T. Chen	Art Unit 1792
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Applicant(s): Masanori SAKAI et al.

Invention: SUBSTRATE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND PRODUCING METHOD OF
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**MS Amendment****Commissioner for Patents**

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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